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**A Scene
Of Horror**
Description of the Place Where
Late Stood a Thriving
City.
Now It Is a Mass of Ashes, Ruins
and Dead Bodies of
Victims.
Ruins Still Burning and Not a
Single Building Is Left
Intact.

Port de France, Island of Martinique,
May 12.—It now seems to be generally
admitted that about 30,000 persons lost
their lives as a result of the outbreak
of Mount Pelee volcano at St. Pierre,
on Thursday last. Careful investigation by
competent government officials shows
that the earlier reports of the Associated
Press were accurate.
The commander of the French cruiser
Suchet gave the United States consul at
Guadaloupe, Mr. Louis H. Ayne, the
first news of the appalling disaster the
day after it occurred.
Mr. Ayne has reached the desolate
spot where St. Pierre stood, and con-
firms the awful story in all its essential
features. From an interview with Mr.
Ayne, who is a trained newspaperman,
the correspondent of the Associated
Press learned the following facts regard-
ing the destruction of St. Pierre:
Thursday morning found the inhabi-
tants of that city anxiously looking
towards the thick clouds surrounding the
Mount Pelee crater. All day Wednes-
day horrid detonations had been heard.
These had been echoed from St. Thom-
as on the north and Barbadoes on the
south. During the day Wednesday
these had ceased and only fine ashes lie
rain fell on St. Pierre. As this continued,
the governor, M. Moutet, who was then
at Port de France, tried to stop the
panic which the volcanic disturbance
caused. He declared the danger would
not increase, sent a detachment of sol-
diers to prevent a general exodus of the
inhabitants, and later went to St. Pierre
himself with his wife.
The British steamer Roraima arrived
at St. Pierre some time afterwards with
10 passengers, among whom were Mrs.
Stokes and her three children and Mrs.
Jaince. They were all watching the rain
of ashes, when, with a frightful roar and
terrible electrical discharges, a cyclone
of fire, mud and steam swept down from
the crater onto the town and bay, de-
stroying a fleet of vessels at anchor off
the shore. There the stories stop.
Twelve survivors only are in the military
hospital at Port de France, while
30,000 corpses are strewn about or bur-
ied in the ruins of St. Pierre or else
floating, gnawed by sharks, in the sur-
rounding seas. Twenty-eight charred,
half-dead, human beings were brought
here. Sixteen of them are already dead,
and only four others are expected to re-
cover.

The Associated Press steamer reported
at Martinique at 6:30 Sunday morn-
ing. The lofty hill was hid by a huge
veil of haze. Enormous quantities of
wreckage of large and small ships and
houses were met with; huge trees and
floating bodies, with flocks of sea birds
soaring about, and hideous sharks fight-
ing about them, were found here and
there; from behind the volcanic veil
came blasts of hot wind, mingled with
others of ice cold.
At Le Peseau, five miles north of
St. Pierre, canoes filled with men and
women were found.
The whole north end of the island
was covered with a silvery grey coating
of ashes, resembling dirty snow. Furious
blasts of fire and steam swept over the
steamer, but finally St. Pierre was
reached.
The city of St. Pierre stretched nearly
two miles along the water front and half
a mile back to the cliff, the base of the
volcano. The houses of the richer
French families were built of stone. The
ash-covered hills were flanked by the
still smoking volcano. The ruins were
still burning in many places and fright-
ful odors of fire and sulphur filled the air.
With great difficulty a landing was ef-
fected. Not one house was left intact.
Everywhere were heaps of mud, of
brighter ashes or piles of volcanic
stones. The streets could hardly be
traced. Here and there, among the ruins,
were heaps of corpses. Almost all the
faces were downward.
In one corner 22 men, women and
children were mingled in one awful
mass, arms and legs protruding in every
direction. They had been the last victims
of death's agony. Through the middle
of the old Place Bertin ran a tiny
stream, the remains of the river. Great
trees with roots upwards and scorched
by fire were strewn in every direction.
Huge blocks and still hot stones were
scattered about. From under one large
stone the arm of a white woman pro-
truded. Most notable was the utter
silence and the awful, overpowering
stench from the thousands of dead.
Careful inspection showed that the
fiery stream, which so completely de-
stroyed St. Pierre, must have been com-
posed of poisonous gases, which instan-
taneously suffocated everyone who inhaled
them, and of other gases, burning fur-
iously, for nearly all the victims had their
hands covering their mouths, or were in
some other attitude showing they had
sought relief from suffocation. All the
bodies were carbonized or roasted.
Augustine, the mayor of the Colonial
Bank of Barbadoes, landed at St. Pierre
with a party from the British royal mail
steamer Solent. He found the bank
closed at some minutes before
8 o'clock. A horse and buggy and a
policeman were in a group of dead at
the door.
At the request of Mr. McAllister, the
United States consul at Barbadoes, Capt.
Davis and the Solent were pined at the
disposal by the Barbadoes government.
The changes in the last stages of the
time as the Associated Press steamer
brought to St. Pierre the colonial
secretary, two civil doctors, two military
officers and Dr. Aughinbaugh, of Wash-
ington, as well as a corporal and four
hospital orderlies, three trained nurses
and a full field hospital. The Barbadoes
government also sent 700 barrels of pro-
visions, one ton of ice and a full supply
of medicine. These were useful, but
the dead only needed quick burial.
The stories of the mediocrity of the
awful details of the loss of the
British steamer Roraima.
H. C. Evans, of Montreal, and John
H. Morris, of New York, who are now
at the military hospital at Port de
France, say the vessel arrived at 6. As

S bells were struck a frightful explosion
was heard up the mountain. A cloud of
fire, toppling and roaring, swept with
lightning speed down the mountain side
and over the town and bay. The Rorai-
ma nearly sunk, and caught fire at once.
"I never can forget the horrid, fiery,
choking whirlwind which enveloped me,"
said Mr. Evans.
"Mr. Morris and I rushed below. We
were not very badly burned, not so bad
as most of them. When the fire came
we were going to our quarters (we are en-
gineers) to weight anchor and get out.
When we came up we found the ship all
afire and fought it forward until 3
o'clock, when the Suchet came to our
rescue. We were then building a raft."
"Ben" Benson, the carpenter of the
Roraima, said: "I was on deck, amid-
ships, when I heard an explosion. The
captain ordered me to up anchor. I got
to the windlass, but when the fire came
I went to the fore-castle and got my
"huds." When I came out I talked with
Capt. Muzzah, Mr. Scott, the first officer,
and others. They had been on the
bridge. The captain was horribly burned.
He had inhaled flames and wanted
to jump into the sea. I tried to make
him take a life preserver. The captain,
who was undressed, jumped overboard
and hung onto a line for a while, then
disappeared."
"Ben" Benson, the quartermaster of the
steamer, who is horribly burned, and
can scarcely talk, confirmed this.

HON. R. M. WELLS DEAD.
Was a Brother of Chief Commissioner
of Lands and Works.
Toronto, Ont., May 12.—Hon. R. M.
Wells, K. C., of Wells & McMurphy, is
dead. He had been ailing a couple of
days. He was a very marked one, and
House, and represented Eglar in the
Commons from 1882 to 1887. He
was Speaker of the Ontario House from
1873 to 1880.
Deceased was a brother of Hon. W.
C. Wells, Chief Commissioner of Lands
and Works of British Columbia.
The Hon. the Chief Commissioner of
Lands and Works has received a tele-
gram from Toronto announcing the
death of his brother, the Hon. R. M.
Wells. The deceased gentleman had
during his life figured prominently as a
public man, having occupied the speaker-
ship of the Ontario legislature for
two terms under the Mowat administration.
Mr. Wells has since the inception of
the Canadian Pacific railway been closely
connected with this corporation as its
solicitor for the Ontario system of that
company. His early career was closely
connected with the Hon. Edward Blake,
first as university and law student, go-
ing into partnership under the firm of
Blake, Wells & Kerr. The social position
of Mr. Wells has during his whole
life been a very marked one, and his
rather untimely death will be sincerely
regretted by a host of friends, in whose
affection and esteem the deceased was
so firmly held.
Mr. Wells has occasionally visited this
city, accompanying prominent officials
connected with the directorate of the
Canadian Pacific railway.
He was a Liberal in politics, having
sat for Bruce county in the House of
Commons subsequent to his retirement
from the Ontario legislature.

**KNOCKED OUT
IN FIRST ROUND**
**Erne Forfeits Lightweight Cham-
pionship to Gans in Short
Order.**
Ringside, Fort Erie, Ont., May 12.—
The great interest felt throughout the
country in this, the second meeting of
Erne, the lightweight champion, and
Gans, was manifest at an early hour
this morning, when crowds of sporting
men began to pour in on every train.
New York and Chicago sent big delega-
tions, and Boston, Philadelphia, Balti-
more, Detroit, Rochester and Syracuse,
and other places, were all represented.
Scores of the notables of prize ring history
were on hand.
The betting, which up to this morning
had been even money, with Gans the
predominating favorite, took a sudden shift.
The Erne men began to speedily wipe
the Gans money off the board, 100 to 70 on
Erne being the last quotation, and that
going begging.
The men shook hands at 9:45.
They came out and sparring away
briskly. Gans led left for the face
twice, but missed. He then led with
both hands for the face. Erne ducked
and they clinched. Again Erne tried
his left, and Gans side stepped. There
was a slight mixup, Gans having the
better of the bout. Gans next sent a
right to Erne's jaw. In the next ex-
change Gans got two blows in on Erne's
head, and Erne seemed a trifle dazed.
Gans led him out with a left above on
the face, drawing blood to the nose.
Erne seemed dazed and Gans rushed
and exchanged, putting a right plump on
Erne's jaw. Erne fell slowly to the
floor with his mouth and nose bleeding,
rolled over on his stomach and was
counted out before he could attempt to
regain his feet. The time of the round
was one minute and 40 seconds.

NANAIMO ASSIZE.
Opens Today Before the Chief Justice—
Divorce Cases.
Nanaimo, B. C., May 12.—(Special.)—
An announcement from Portland con-
tains information that on April 19, W.
H. Maudsley, formerly of this city, and
also a former resident of Victoria, had
obtained a divorce. On April 24 Mrs.
Lucy, daughter of H. Cooper of this city,
also obtained a divorce, and on April 26
the two parties named were married.
Chief Justice Hunter holds an assize
court here tomorrow.
At a recent meeting of the local lodge,
A. O. U. E., Samuel Thompson, Jr., was
initiated in the presence of his father,
and grandfather, who are also members
of the same lodge. Three generations
thus meet in lodge.
Arthur Wilson, delegate from the Yu-
kon miners to Ottawa to obtain conces-
sions in the Treadgold concessions, is here on
his way back to Dawson. He is one of
the elected members of Yukon council.
The changes in the Treadgold conces-
sions, he thinks will satisfy all who are not
unreasonable. Mr. Wilson will not say
that he will not be candidate for the
Dominion House at the election under
the new bill now before parliament grant-
ing representation. He agrees that Gov-
ernor Ross would make a valuable rep-
resentative.
PAUQUETTE SENTENCED.
Will Be Hanged June 3 for Legare's
Murder.
Kamloops, May 12.—Pauquette, who
murdered Legare recently, at Natch
Hill, was today sentenced by Judge
Walkom to be hanged at Kamloops on
June 3.

**Another
Rebellion**
Haytiens Turn Against Govern-
ment and the Revolution.
Succeeds.
Attempt to Overawe Congress
by Troops Is a Flat
Failure.
Street Fighting For a Couple
of Hours at Port au
Prince.

Port au Prince, Hayti, May 12.—At
the meeting of congress today, called to
elect a president of the Republic, the
minister of the interior formally handed
the resignation of President Sam to the
house. A member of the Chamber of
Deputies asked the President of the
house to order the withdrawal of the
strong force of troops which guarded the
chamber. The President replied that the
troops were necessary to protect congress
while engaged in its deliberations, and
said that he approved of the presence of
the military. The meeting of congress
was then suspended. The whole popula-
tion is now in arms.
Severe fighting is progressing in the
streets of this city. The situation is
very serious.
The meeting, which opened at noon,
had hardly heard the words of the
President of the house declaring that a
president of the republic was to be elected,
when Deputy Jeannot declared that the
congress did not have the confidence
of the people. This was followed by
cries of "Vive la revolution!" and a
scene of great disorder followed, dur-
ing which congress was practically dis-
solved. Shooting in the streets began
soon afterwards, and the fighting, which
lasted about an hour, resulted in a tri-
umph for the opponents of the govern-
ment. The troops at the arsenal sur-
rendered without any resistance, and the
government passed into the hands of the
revolutionists. Only two men were
killed and three wounded.
Former President Tiroas Augustin
Simon Sam still occupies the palace, but
he will embark this evening or tomorrow
on board a French mail boat. A provi-
sional government has been established
under the presidency of Boisrond Canal,
former chief magistrate of Hayti. He
says all the towns of the Republic are in
a state of revolution. Port au Prince is
now quiet, but further fighting is expected.

FOR FORMOSA.
Missionary Will Succeed the Late Dr.
McKay.
Ottawa, May 12.—Rev. Thurlow Fraser,
late assistant pastor of Bank street
Presbyterian church, will succeed the late
Dr. McKay in Formosa. He will leave
in September for his new field of labor.
BIG POWER SCHEME.
Ontario Company Begins Work for
Canal.
Niagara Falls, Ont., May 12.—The On-
tario Power company commenced opera-
tions on the upper section of its work
today, and a large force of men are now
at work near Chippawa. A canal a mile
and a quarter will be built, running
from Welland river to near Bluff, above
Dufferin islands.

A CLOSE GAME.
Toronto Team Has Hard Work Against
North of England.
Manchester, May 12.—(Special.)—The
Toronto lacrosse team had a narrow es-
cape from defeat Saturday, and the spec-
tators, after the match, were heard to
express their opinion that, had the North
of England team had a few weeks' prac-
tice they would have won. The weather
was dull and the ground heavy and slip-
pery, but a crowd of 7,000 assembled to
watch the contest. There was great joy
at the end of the first period, when the
score stood 2 to 0 in favor of the Eng-
lishmen. Toronto won out by 7 goals to 4.
The match, however, was the best of
the tour, and the Toronto were sur-
prised at the playing of their opponents.
UNION CARDS.
Trouble Over Carpenters—Delegates For
Pythian Meeting.
Vancouver, May 12.—(Special.)—The
first trouble over the union card system
occurred today in the action of the two
houses on the Danish West Indies
treaty, has commenced its sittings. It
held two legislative sessions today. The
opponents of the sale of the islands
seem inclined to yield to the demand of
the majority to relinquish their former
proposal limiting the vote to those who
are qualified to vote for the election of
members of the colonial council, that
scheme having aroused popular disappro-
val. The members of the opposition,
however, insist on withholding final
judgment on the treaty till after a
plebiscite, which they claim is necessary
to show the real temper of the island-
ers. They are willing to bind themselves
to agree to the ratification, on specified
conditions, before the elections. The
ministry will not agree to such a course,
preferring to let the matter rest until af-
ter the last session, when the Lands-
thing is likely to give the ministry a ma-
jority, enabling it to secure the ratifi-
cation unconditionally. Knowledge of
this will now in all probability conduce
to a satisfactory compromise with the
opposition.

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More Details Of Earthquake

Rescuers Find Dreadful Scene
of Death and Desolation at
St. Pierre.

Many People Who Escaped to
Neighboring Towns Have
Since Succumbed.

Port de France, Island of Martinique, May 11.—Several steamers, including the government vessel Rubis, started from here yesterday for St. Pierre, 10 miles from this city. The steamers had on board a government delegate, a number of gendarmes, a detachment of regular infantry and several priests. The vessels also carried a quantity of food, petrol and other supplies for use in the cremation of the bodies of the victims of the terrible volcanic outbreak of Thursday last. Large quantities of disinfectants and stocks of clothing for the refugees were also shipped to St. Pierre.

The refugees had as a rule assembled at Le Carbet and Case Pilote, not far from St. Pierre, and it is reported over a thousand of them have died since the fearful stream of lava poured down Mount Pelée. The sea for miles round was covered with the wreckage of the vessels sunk off St. Pierre at the time of the disaster, and ashore only a few trees, all heavily scorched by the lava, the volcanic shower, were left standing. When nearing St. Pierre, the Rubis met a number of tugs towing lighters filled with refugees. The heat from the smoking lava-covered ruins at St. Pierre was suffocating, and the stench from the corpses strewn the streets was awful. Only a few walls were standing. The report that the hospital clock was found intact, with its hands stopped at 7:50 was confirmed, as was the statement that the offices of the cable company had entirely disappeared.

On all sides were found portions of corpses, which were gathered up by the soldiers and gendarmes and burned on one of the public squares. Not a drop of water was procurable ashore. The darkness caused by the clouds of volcanic dust shrouded the town and caused a terrible confusion. The heat and the horror to the scene. The fort and central quarters of the town were razed to the ground and were replaced by beds of hot cinders.

The iron grill work gate of the government offices was alone standing. There was no trace of streets. Huge heaps of smoking ashes were to be seen on all sides. At the landing place some burned and melted lava indicated the spot where the custom house formerly stood and traces of the larger shops could be seen.

In the neighborhood hundreds of corpses were found lying in all kinds of attitudes, showing that the victims had met death as if by a lightning stroke. Every vestige of clothing was burned away from the charred bodies, and in many cases the abdomen had been burst open by the intense heat.

Curiously enough the features of the dead were generally calm and peaceful, although in some cases terrible fright and agony were depicted. Grim, piteous bodies were stretched everywhere, showing that death had stricken the crowds while they were vainly seeking escape from the fiery deluge.

On one spot a group of nine children were found lying in each other's arms. The vaults of the Bank of Martinique at the head of what had been the Rue de l'Hospital were found intact. They contained two million francs (\$400,000) in specie and other securities, which were sent here for safe keeping. The vaults of the government treasury are now being searched in the hope that a large amount of money and other valuables deposited by the principal merchants of the city may be saved.

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THE COLONIAL CONFERENCE

Subject of Discussion In the
Dominion House—Rush
of Settlers.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Ottawa, May 12.—The feature of today's sitting was the challenge of the opposition to Sir Wilfrid Laurier to outline his policy on his approaching visit to England.

Mr. R. L. Borden brought the question in a brilliant speech. He referred to the action of the Premier in prejudicing the discussion which takes place at the Imperial conference. The time had come, he said, for the government to take the people of Canada into its confidence. He proposed a resolution in favor of Imperial preferential tariff, the opposition would gladly support it.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that when in England he would take part in the discussion of defence and of political union on the lines of the government's message to Mr. Chamberlain. He would, however, oppose a spirit of militarism, which had been the curse of Europe. He said he was prepared to advocate such action, but since Mr. Borden was giving advice, he would thank him for instructions as to the objects for which Canada should give to Britain additional preference. He conceded, however, the situation was different today to what it was in 1898. He would advocate a mutual tariff preference throughout the Empire.

The discussion was continued with great animation until midnight. Mr. Oliver asked that a second contingent should be organized for the conference. He will to incorporate an orthodox, a radical, a church for North America was adopted on a division of 74 to 21. The Premier said no negotiations were in progress with Newfoundland looking to confederation.

Mr. Sirton announced the arrival of 21,122 emigrants up to May 1. Half the number were from the States. The Senate warmly discussed the measure to relieve British Columbia from penalties for not furnishing statistics to the department, but finally advanced the bill a stage.

FRUIT CROP RUINED.

Heavy Losses in the Ontario Peninsula.

St. Catharines, May 12.—The heavy frost of Saturday night and Sunday morning did incalculable damage to fruit crops in Niagara district. Peach and grape crops are almost entirely ruined, and strawberries are almost an entire loss.

MINERS STRIKE.

Immense Number of Men Out in Pennsylvania.

Seranton, Pa., May 12.—President Mitchell said this morning that the tie up in the three anthracite districts is consistently 150,000 men. Men and boys are idle, of which number only one-half are in the Lackawanna and Wyoming region. In every instance, Mr. Mitchell said, the order to suspend operations has been rendered unobedient by the miners. The miners are out in the Lehigh district and 50,000 in the Schuylkill field.

HENRY HOLGATE DEAD.

He Was an Old Time Resident of Westminster.

New Westminster, May 12.—A cablegram today announced the death of Henry Holgate, who for many years a resident of New Westminster. Deceased, who was 84 years of age, came to Victoria while a young man, and was engaged in the wholesale business, to which was added shipping and salmon canning. He was a member of the old legislative assembly, and was a member of the council and Minister of Lands and Works in the McGowan government until he resigned. He was for several terms mayor of this city. He returned to England in 1891, leaving his affairs in the hands of ex-Mayor Thos. Owens.

COMRADES.

Western Men Object to Being Separated.

Rosland, B. C., May 12.—Lieutenant Hart-McLarg, who recruited 34 men here for the Canadian Mounted Rifles, has received a telegram from the volunteers dated at Halifax, informing him that the military authorities proposed to split up the party, entering a protest, and asking him to exercise his good offices in preventing the separation of the men. Messages were sent from Rosland to Major Hosmer, of the Fifth regiment, Canadian Mounted Rifles, and this officer was merely to convey the message, while the whole matter would be satisfactorily explained by him.

An epidemic of scarlet fever has broken out among the school children of this city, and the health authorities have ordered the closing of all schools, both public and Sunday schools. The schools have already been closed this term for three weeks for the same reason.

LATE PRINCIPAL GRANT.

His Funeral Will Take Place This Afternoon.

Kingsport, May 12.—(Special.)—At 10 o'clock tomorrow morning the remains of Principal Grant will be removed to Compton hall, which is draped in black. The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock. The service will begin, Rev. Dr. Warden, Moderator Presbyterian general assembly, will officiate and preach the sermon. Rev. Dr. Ross, senior member of Queen's Theological Faculty, will assist, and graduates and students will bear the coffin to the hearse. The Mayor of Kingsport has issued an invitation calling upon citizens to close their places of business and observe the afternoon as a day of mourning. All the schools will be closed. At a meeting of the Board of Education and City Council tonight resolutions of condolence were passed. Colonel Drury has a message from the Governor-General commanding him to represent him at the funeral.

THE KING RULES.

Madrid, May 12.—The brilliant feature today encouraged the crowds to pour out into the streets of the city, and every thoroughfare was filled with merry makers, who were apparently in the happiest humor to celebrate the end of the regency. The appearance of the streets in strong contrast to the scene at the same time being enacted within the palace. Here the festivities were planned to a drama. The Queen Regent of Spain was sorrowfully taking leave of her ministers and practically relinquished into the hands of her son the government which she has so faithfully filled for the past 16 years. It was a pathetic scene when the ministers were ushered into the Queen Regent's cabinet. She received them with the young king on her side. Premier Sagasta made an eloquent address of leave-taking delivered in behalf of himself and his colleagues.

The Queen Regent listened to Señor Sagasta with increasing interest. Finally with tears running down her cheeks, she responded, and thanked the Premier for his words.

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NOTICE.

Cancellation of Reserve on Foreshore and Tidal Land.

Notice is hereby given that the reservation on foreshore and tidal land, notice whereof was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 16th March, 1902, is cancelled. Any person desirous of acquiring a lease of any foreshore or tidal land, or of any other land, situated in the manner provided by section 41 of the "Land Act," after the expiration of three (3) months from the date of this notice, may apply to the District Registrar, W. C. Wells, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Land and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 8th April, 1902.

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First Shipment Of Seal Skins

Large Consignment Forwarded
Yesterday by the Victoria
Sealing Company.

Cottage City Arrives—Empress of India due—Other Marine Movements.

The first shipment of seal skins to the London market was made yesterday, when the Victoria Sealing company despatched 32 cases containing 2,342 skins, valued at over \$35,000 to C. M. Laidson & Co., for the London market. The company also made a shipment to London yesterday, sending six cases containing 322 skins, the catch of the schooner Umbria. The price is expected to rule high this year in the market for seal skins, for since commercial seal skin has been smaller than usual, the skins sent to the market will realize better prices. The skins sent from the schooners hunting off Falkland Islands realized \$17.

The schooner C. D. Rand, Capt. J. Searle, returned to port yesterday morning with a catch of 241 skins, two of which were marked by the branders on St. Paul Island, which went to show that the two unfortunate seals had been victims of the inhuman treatment advocated by Dr. Starr Jordan. The skins included those of several large bulls taken off the Vancouver Island coast. The C. D. Rand would have had a much larger catch had she not met with misfortune during the February gales when she had her decks swept and all her canoes smashed. The schooner had to return to Quatsino to secure more canoes and was delayed three weeks.

But three schooners are now expected by the Sealing company, the Alouka, Capt. McDougall, Sadie Turpel, Capt. Mohrhouse, and Hattie, Capt. Daley. It is thought that these schooners worked well to the North and hunted until the end of the season of the fair weather grounds. The schooners City of San Diego, Oscar and Hattie, Casco, Sancy Lass and Carlotta G. Cox have gone to the Copper Islands to hunt the seals off the Russian Islands. The schooner South Sea is expected to return shortly with her coast catch, having gone well north with the other schooners.

EMPERESS EXPECTED. Australian Liner Tomorrow—Other Liners Movements.

R. M. S. Empress of India is expected to arrive at the Outer wharf today from Yokohama and the ports of China and Japan. Included among the saloon passengers of the Empress are a Korean Prince and Mr. Goffe, the British minister to Korea who are bound to England to attend the Coronation. Steamer Miowera is due tomorrow from Sydney, Brisbane, Suva and Honolulu. The Australian liner is bringing 96 passengers to Victoria, and with those who embark at Suva and Honolulu, it is expected that she will have a full list. The greater number of those who are coming from Australia are bound to the Coronation. The Miowera has included in her cargo large consignments of frozen mutton, both for local houses and for through shipment. Steamer Olympia of the Northern Pacific line is to sail from the Outer wharf on Thursday for the Orient, carrying a large cargo, including heavy shipments of cotton, flour, tobacco and machinery. The steamer Glenogle, of this line, is expected to arrive here from Yokohama on the 21st. The Glenogle has 300 tons of freight for here, and about 100 passengers. Steamer Victoria of this line is due at Hongkong from this port today. Steamer Rionun Maru of the N. Y. K. line, arrived at Yokohama from this port on Saturday. The Shinano Maru will leave Yokohama on the 20th and is due on June 4.

IN THE DRY DOCK. Steamer Tampico on the Blocks—Garmon Follows.

Steamer Tampico, of the Globe Navigation company, Capt. Reed, arrived at Esquimalt on Sunday morning and after being cleaned and repainted, left the dry dock yesterday. The Tampico is one of the tramps which came around from the Great Lakes for a Seattle-Honolulu line, and she has been carrying sugar from the islands. The Tampico arrived at Seattle on Saturday from San Francisco at which port she delivered 2,200 tons of Hawaiian sugar at the Crockett refinery.

Many of Our Boys and Girls Are Suffering This Month From the After-Effects of Winter Grippe.

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The Wondrous Medicine Quickly Expels
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A busy city physician, enjoying a large annual income, remarked the other day from a host of young people—boys and girls—were suffering this month from the after-effects of winter grippe.

Dear parents, have any of your children suffered from an attack of the cruel monster grippe during the past winter months? Are your boys and girls irritable, feverish, pale or weak? Have they cold and clammy limbs? Is the blood watery, impure or sluggish? Is the appetite poor and the digestion weak? Has the rose tint of health faded from the cheeks? If any of these conditions exist, then he has been the victim of deadly grippe, he is impregnated in the system.

If your children are not bilious, happy, boisterous and strong in May, their condition calls for prompt action on your part. Their future health and physical happiness or sufferings and early death is in your hands dear parents, and you alone are responsible to Heaven and the community of which you form a part.

When winter grippe has implanted seeds of violent diseases, the first and most important work is to expel from the blood every trace of poison. This is always accomplished by the use of Paine's Celery Compound, after purifying the food and stagnant blood, acts as a nerve food. It builds up the nervous system and nourishes all the bodily tissues.

Another arrival at Esquimalt to enter the dock was the Nome liner, Capt. John A. Allen, who went into the dry dock yesterday after the Tampico was docked, to be cleaned and painted. Capt. Allen, who was formerly master and mate of the Northern Pacific liners, came over a short time ago to take the steamer Yagze from William Head to Vancouver, and afterwards to Seattle. Capt. Allen and the crew of that steamer have since been released from quarantine, and are again on board their vessel. They were freed on Saturday.

RAISED CAINE. Schooner Salvaged and Towed to Seattle From Smith Island.

The schooner Minnie A. Caine, which was driven ashore on the rocky beach of Smith Island, after breaking away from the tug Magic during the heavy gale of December 20, when the ship's Captain, J. D. Bouchard, Banker and Santa Clara dragged their anchors, and the latter went ashore on Trial Island, was floated on Saturday and towed to Seattle by the tug Wanderer. The vessel's hull is badly damaged. A big sum of money is being raised for the Caine in an effort to raise her, and it will take a good many thousands more to put her in first class sea-going condition.

The Caine is owned by Capt. E. E. Caine, of Seattle, and James Tyson, of San Francisco, and their associates in the two cities. She was built in Seattle by the Morans, costing about \$75,000. At the time of her disaster she was completing her maiden voyage to Honolulu, Australia and return via San Francisco. She was bound to Chemainus.

RETURN OF QUADRA. Captain Wallman Locates More Un- charted Rocks.

D. G. S. Quadra returned yesterday from a short but useful cruise to Clayoquot Sound. Two additional buoys were placed in position as aids to navigation, one off Eclat's Island, and another near the center of the fairway, and the other off the southwest point of Meares Island, to show the turn into Deception channel. The old buoy off Stubb's Spit was replaced by a new one.

Captain Wallman reports that building operations are evidently proceeding at a lively rate along the West Coast. A large hotel has been erected in Sunzery Cove, Port San Juan, with all modern conveniences, telephone, etc. A palatial building is being erected on the peninsula between Bamfield and Grappler coves, Barkley Sound for the Pacific cable company, all modern luxuries will be here, billiard room, smoking room, library, tennis court, etc., and last, but by no means least, the most complete of all parts of the world. In Clayoquot Sound a large and handsome R. C. Industrial home has been built on the shores of Deception Pass, besides many new houses dotted here and there on the picturesque islands of the Sound. The weather was with the exception of one day was experienced during the cruise.

The following bottle paper was brought on board the Quadra from Cape Beale lighthouse:

S. S. Miowera,
From Victoria for Honolulu.
Lat. 40-52 north, long. 137-50 west.
Thrown overboard December 16, 1901.
Thrown overboard in strong southeast wind, and southeast sea. Requested mail to Sydney, New South Wales.
(Signed) WILLIAM McFARLANE,
First Officer.

This was found on May 5, 1902, 12 miles east of Cape Beale, by an Indian, and was given to a line man on the Cape Beale section on May 7, who handed it to the lighthouse keeper at Cape Beale.

COTTAGE CITY ARRIVES. Brings Number of Passengers From Northern Ports.

Steamer Cottage City returned from Skagway and Alaskan ports on Sunday afternoon with 47 passengers, including A. J. Charleson, who since the building of the telegraph line has been engaged in business at the head of the Skikine, at Glenora and Telegraph creek, and A. R. Ellis, who has been stationed as a customs officer at Glenora. All three came down the Skikine river in a boat, and took passage on the Cottage City. A. J. Charleson, a mining expert, who is one of the owners of the Pande Basin Mine, near Sitka, at which point he took passage on the steamer. Lieut. Wintrop, of the U. S. S. Rush, came from Sitka in a launch, who came North as pilot on the Nome steamer Jeanie, came from Juneau, where he left the steamer. John F. Maloney, Juneau lawyer, bound to Portland, was another passenger. None of the arrivals by the Pacific coast steamer came from the Yukon valley. The steamer left Skagway on May 5, and left Juneau on May 7. She brought 500 barrels of fish oil and 100 tons of guano from Killisnoe. The steamer also brought the remains of John M. Bradley, a mining expert, who died on May 9 at Ketchikan, as a result of exposure and injuries received as a result of the capsizing of a rowboat. Bradley, who operated in that section of the country for some time, is said to have been the representative of John Fawcett, his partner. His remains were being shipped to Pennsylvania.

ANOTHER PATIENT. Fresh Case of Smallpox Broken Out Among Chinese at William Head.

Another case of smallpox has broken out among the quarantined Chinese passengers of the N. Y. K. steamer Kinshin Maru, who are held at William Head. As soon as the disease broke out the patient was isolated in a Chinese building. The white members of the crew and saloon passengers have been isolated from the Chinese, and they will not have their term of detention lengthened. Capt. Allen and the crew of the steamer Yagze have been released, and are again on their steamer, they having been taken from the station to Seattle by the steamer Rosalie.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Ganges, which is to carry the 40,000 tons of oats which Messrs. Brackman-Ker have arranged to despatch to South Africa for the Imperial government, is expected to arrive from Yokohama on Thursday. The Ganges sailed from the Japanese port for Victoria on the 10th. One of the Vancouver pilots arrived last night to meet the steamer. The German ship Ostara, which has been lying in the Royal Roads while a crew was being shipped for her by W. A. Van Rieën, was towed to sea yesterday by the tug Tyee with a cargo of lumber for the United Kingdom.

TERMINAL RAILWAY.

Mr. A. report is in circulation to the effect that controlling interest in the Terminal Railway undertaking has been acquired by the E. & N. Railway company. This rumor is entirely incorrect. Neither Mr. Pusey nor his company own any interest either in the Terminal or the Sidney railway, nor is there any arrangement for the company to acquire the line. The passenger rates to any points reached by our railway or the steamers which operate in connection therewith.

E. V. BODWELL.

Programme For Regatta

Committee Met Last Evening
and Arranged Programme
of Events.

Officers Appointed for the Day— Conditions for Competitors of Races.

The celebration regatta committee met last evening at 8 p. m., in the City Hall, the following gentlemen being present: A. J. Dallin, Alex. Stewart, J. C. Braggman, H. Austin, Capt. Cox, S. J. Chase, Lt. Church, R. N., Lt. Blandy, R. E., and Capt. J. G. Cox in the chair.

A communication from Principal Latag of the Collegiate School, re school boys' races, was received and read. Also a letter from A. Lindsay re swimming race. After considerable discussion, it was decided not to hold the same.

On motion of A. J. Dallin, seconded by J. H. Austin, it was decided that all entries of boys from schools be certified to by the principal of the school to the effect that the boys are actually attending the school they represent.

The programme of the regatta was decided upon as follows:

1. Service Cutters and Eight-Oared Jolly Boats.—Course round Deadman Island, leaving it on port hand, return to buoy, about 3 miles. Last prize \$200. After paying a dividend at the rate of ten per cent per annum, a balance of \$28,142.89 was carried forward to the credit of profit and loss.

This Company's assets are their coal mines and the Townsite of Fernie. Four years ago this Company had no transportation facilities, and their stock sold as low as eleven cents per share. Today their stock is selling at \$90.00.

The Similkameen Valley Coal Company Limited, assets are coal mines, timber, water power, agricultural and horticultural land, city waterworks, electric light plant and the Townsite of Ashcroft, surrounded by the following resources: Gold, copper, silver, lead, iron, lime, clay, platinum and a fine stock raising country, and it is the smelting centre of the Similkameen Valley, with a climate all that could be asked. Today you can secure an option on this Company's stock by paying ten cents per share down and ten cents per month until fully paid, with non-refundable clause. This price is subject to twenty-five cents advance without notice or as soon as transportation is assured. Do not wait until it is too late, but get in on the ground floor and make a handsome profit. A purchaser of 100 shares now may gain a profit of \$8,000.00. Crow's Nest shares as an example. This would be a fair profit on an investment of \$10 per month for eleven months. We invite the fullest inspection of the Company's affairs by intending purchasers. For further information apply to the

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12. Service Five-Oared Whalers and Four-Oared Gigs.—Course as in race 1. Open to Army and Navy regular forces. Prizes, 1st \$15; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, \$5. Prizes in all events to start as soon as race No. 9 has passed the boat house on the way down.

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16.—All-Comers Race.—Open to Army and Navy service boats. Any sized boat, any number of oars. Course as in race 1. Prizes, 1st, \$25; 2nd, \$15; 3rd, \$5. Post entries.

17. Copper Duxits and Bathing Boats.—A prize of \$5 will be given to the best decorated punt or boat. To be decided by judges Post entries.

All entries for amateur races are to be handed to the secretary and have to be in by 8 p. m. on Friday, the 16th inst. All amateur events are under the auspices of the J. B. A. A. The officers are:

Referee—Commander G. M. K. Fair.
Judges—Capt. C. R. Keppell, C. R. B. D. S. J. C. Commander Chas. H. Unwin, Starter—Commander W. S. Bowman, Capt. Gaudin, Capt. J. S. Cox, Capt. C. E. Clark.

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FIGURES TALK!

The fifth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company was held in Toronto, March 7th.

The net profit of the year, after paying all operating expenses and all charges of every kind, amounted to \$207,848.39. After paying a dividend at the rate of ten per cent per annum, a balance of \$28,142.89 was carried forward to the credit of profit and loss.

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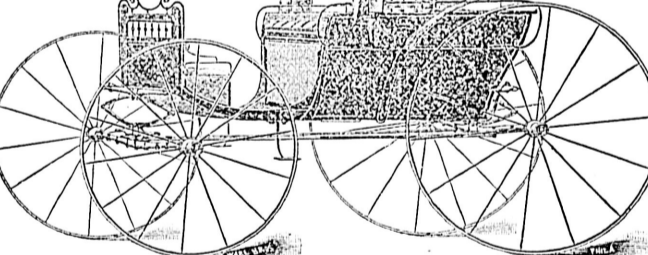
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OBSTRUCTION.

The course pursued by the opposition
in reference to the introduction of the
Charlotte Island Bill was unmitigated
obstruction of the most virulent type.
In introducing this measure the govern-
ment adopted the practice of the
British Columbia legislature, which has
been in vogue since Confederation. The
opposition declared that this practice is
wrong, and so far as that goes, a fairly
good case was made out that the practice
is not in accordance with precedent in
Ottawa or Great Britain. Mr. Martin
took that view and he is unquestionably
an authority on such matters, and unlike
some other who pose as such, he gen-
erally contrives to make pretty clear to
others the reasons and facts on which he
bases his opinions. The obstruction did
not lie in the nature of the debate. As
an academic discussion on a point of par-
liamentary procedure it was all right.
The obstruction lay in the occasion of
it, the way in which it was prolonged,
and the purpose for which it was in-
stituted. The matter was brought up for
the sole purpose of preventing business
being gone on with. The discussion was
regulated by the clock, and it played out
as soon as the clock went round to six
o'clock. The opposition would not force
a division. Its leader dared not. The
usual Saturday to Monday promises hav-
ing been made, and their fulfillment being
as hopeless as ever before, the members
of the opposition had to talk against
the time and temper of everyone con-
demned to listen to them. And that is
not obstruction! That is not a waste of
the time of the country! It is all very
well for the leader of the opposition to
talk in hyperbolic strain about this de-
viation to the interests of the people and
their preservation against vicious legis-
lation. But whom does he expect to be-
lieve him, when he never tells anyone
in what respect the interests of the peo-
ple are endangered, or in what particular
the legislation is vicious. If he has
political principles in respect to the heri-
tage of the people, and so on, he has
always been particularly solicitous to
conceal them. Political principle! He
has never had a political principle at
stake in any Bill that has ever been
before the legislature since he became a
member of it. Not because there have
not been political principles at stake in
many of these Bills; but because his
whole political career has been deter-
mined not by the character of the acts which
he has either assisted or opposed, but
solely by his relations with the persons
whom he was assisting or opposing in
doing these acts. Political principle! Does
he imagine that the people cannot read
the character of public men? Does he
imagine that people do not know that
his opposition has all the way through,
been absolutely determined by his hos-
tility to certain persons in the govern-
ment, and not to the principles contained
in any of its legislation? And does he
really imagine that he can impose him-
self upon the people of British Columbia
by mock heroics, as a man fitted to lead
and govern because of his independent
grasp upon public affairs with an intel-
lect enlightened and purified by a high

conception of the people's interest and
his duty towards it? If he is so fitted,
the people vastly underestimate both his
intellectual qualities, and the dignity of
his character politically. And in what
way is he educating the people to com-
prehend him better? By puerile delat-
ing, by cheap satire, by silly interpellat-
ions, by vexatious garrulity, by all the
tricks which a second rate actor uses
to hide his bad art. With the efficient
aid of some of his lieutenants, he has
indeed succeeded in temporarily reducing
the legislature of British Columbia to
the level of a school boy's debating club.
He apparently thinks that to deride the
decent and orderly conduct of public
business, to insult the dignity of a rep-
resentative assembly, and to hide the
pranks of mischievous disorderliness un-
der the aegis of a position neither with-
out honor nor usefulness in British par-
liamentary history, that such actions are
worthy of his career, his ambition, and
himself. Perhaps they are.

OBSTRUCTION DEFEATED.

The government was sustained by a
majority of four last night in its deter-
mination to limit the obstructive tactics
of the opposition, and to go on with the
business of the country. The members
of the opposition were apparently quite
satisfied that by pure force of lung power
they had defeated the government. They
were hugging themselves with all sorts of
fond delusions. They have done so much
to prove that they are fit to be entrusted
with the government of this country, they
have given such a fine exhibition of
unity, common sense, patriotism, in-
telligence, and purpose in their criticism
of the government's policy, that it ap-
pears to them inconceivable that the gov-
ernment should not abdicate in their
favor. But their extraordinary childish
tactics have in reality made it difficult
for ordinary people, to view their dis-
comfiture with any other feeling than
that of profound and heartfelt relief.
Even in opposition, by reckless obstruc-
tion, and inane futile discussion of
trivialities instead of real issues, they
have given the country a foretaste of
what might be expected from a govern-
ment of such able, conscientious, and ac-
tive individuals. The country will even-
tually see to it, that by no possible con-
catenation of circumstances will they
ever hold any position of power and re-
sponsibility more important than those
which they discredit now, and is heartily
glad in the meantime, that means have
been found of curtailing their endless elo-
quence by bringing the Budget debate to
an immediate conclusion.

NO TIME TO BE TIMOROUS.

Under the above heading the Canadian
Manufacturer makes the following appeal
to the business men and investors of
Canada:

This is no time for our manufacturers
to be timorous. There is a general feel-
ing of confidence, a spirit of progress
in the country that warrants a business
man's discounting the future and mak-
ing preparations for increased business.
Nearly every firm is rushed with orders
beyond its capacity to fill them, and ex-
tension of factory and additions of cap-
ital is the order of the day. Even those
industries that did not secure the needed
protection in this session's Budget
speech are kept busily engaged. The
bountiful harvests of the past few years
have enriched the country and attracted
settlers. Our resources are being de-
veloped with the influx of capital and
the growth of optimism. One of the
most pleasing features of this enthusiasm
is that it has rid Canadians of their
hesitancy to invest their earnings in
Canadian investments. Few incidents
have worked so much benefit to this
country in such a short time as did the
recent boom in Dominion coal and Dis-
minion steel stocks. The promoters have
made their little "piles" out of the
increase in values, but it is doubtful if
they were paid too highly for their ser-
vices; they have proved to the Canadian
public that it is not necessary to go be-
yond our confines to find profitable and
safe investment. Our Canadian banks
loan about \$80,000,000 a year on foreign
investments, surely there will now be a
turn in the tide. If there is, if Canadian
banks should lend some day to foreign
investors in this country, as they
should, there will be any number of
things added to us.

There is no question whatever as to
the existence of the movement described.
Historically it owed its inception to the
development of the gold-copper and silver
lead mines of British Columbia. These
mines gave the people of Ontario and
Quebec a Canadian opportunity for in-
vestments, and they poured their money
into them like water. They did not take
much out, lacking judgment to regulate
their enthusiasm. But the bulk of the
money did not come into British Col-
umbia. It merely changed hands in
Ontario and Quebec. This boom brought
into existence a large class of promoters
who, when British Columbia became un-
popular, sought for resources to exploit
wherever they have been most successful.
Prior to 1896 the centres of Toronto and
Montreal were largely sending the sav-
ings of the people of Canada abroad.
During the mining boom they learnt the
taste of controlling and directing devel-
opment, instead of merely contributing to
it. The result has been a very remark-
able onward movement. It is not merely
as an interesting episode in Canadian
history that we draw attention to this
matter now. It is because the lesson
of it is pertinent to Victoria at the pre-
sent time. Not only does such money
as there is for investment here find its
way into development promoted direct-
ed and controlled elsewhere, but with re-
gard to our own local resources there is
too much tendency to depend entirely
upon the outside promoter. Upon outside
investors of course we have to depend
very largely. But very many important
enterprises might be promoted, directed
and controlled locally and the confidence
of outside investors won for such enter-
prises by borrowing from the experience
of Toronto and Montreal in the develop-
ment of the natural resources of Ontario,
Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

VESTED RIGHTS.

We are in receipt of a letter from
Mr. G. H. Barnard criticizing our state-
ment about the legislation now being
brought in at Ottawa which will affect
the status of claimants against the White
Pass and Yukon Railway company. The
fact appears to be that the taking of
such powers is sometimes necessary to
protect vested interests from grievous in-
justice, but the putting of such powers
into force should be a matter of very
careful investigation in each individual
case. For instance take the case of a
company the value of whose shares has

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or any other right, in a continuance
of this illegal profit-making merely be-
cause it is necessary to maintain the value
of his shares at the price he paid for them.
On the other hand a very grave injus-
tice might be done by penalizing him for
previously acquired illegal profits which
he has not shared, and which indeed have
been the basis of the inflated price at
which he has purchased.

Mr. McPhillips was observed to be
vociferously applauding Mr. Joseph
Martin's argument upon a point of con-
stitutional practice yesterday. Mr. Mar-
tin had better take care or he will be
having a bouquet presented to him also.

Mr. Speaker Dooley handed the unruly
members of the House yesterday in a
way reminiscent of the best traditions of
the Speaker's chair. He will be sup-
ported by the country in the most string-
ent measures he can adopt to maintain
that dignity of the legislature which is
in his keeping.

According to a copyrighted account and
analysis published by the New York Com-
mercial Advertiser, of the beneficence
of Andrew Carnegie, he has given away
\$67,000,000 in the last few years. Of
this amount the United States has re-
ceived \$53,301,673; Scotland, \$13,078,
750; the Dominion of Canada, \$870,500;
England, \$420,000; Cuba, \$252,000, and
Ireland, \$65,500.

The Heinze opposition to the Amalgam-
ated Copper company has now crystal-
lized into the United Copper company,
with a capital of \$80,000,000. It is ex-
pected that the new rival to the Stan-
dard Oil concern will be able to give
the latter very formidable opposition.
The companies forming the new trust
are now producing copper at the rate of
three and a half millions of pounds per
month, at a cost said to be two cents a
pound lower than the Amalgamated.

The executors of William Leys, killed
in the tunnel disaster in New York last
January, are suing the railroad company
for \$250,000. Mr. Leys was forty-five
years of age, and was earning \$30,000
per annum; another claim is, that he
would, had he lived, have earned a simi-
lar amount each year for the next ten years.
One verdict for \$80,000 has already been
secured against the company on account
of the tunnel suits, of which there are
a very large number.

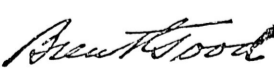
In attacking the method in British
Columbia of introducing a certain class
of Bills, Mr. McBride made the state-
ment that under this procedure matters
of an "abominable" character might be
introduced without the House knowing
it. It is not likely in any British country
that any matters of an "abominable"
character would be anywhere introduced

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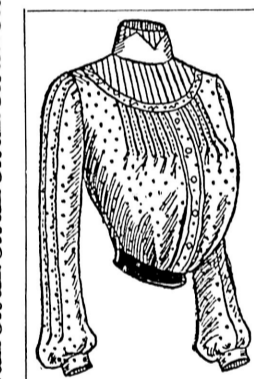
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THE WEATHER.

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, May 12, 8 p.m. SYNOPSIS. The barometer is above 30 inches of mercury, the wind is from the north, and the weather is fair. The temperature is 50 degrees Fahrenheit. The wind is from the north, and the weather is fair. The temperature is 50 degrees Fahrenheit.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	50	60
Seattle	50	60
Portland	50	60
San Francisco	50	60
Los Angeles	50	60
San Diego	50	60
Albany	50	60
Buffalo	50	60
Chicago	50	60
St. Louis	50	60
Philadelphia	50	60
New York	50	60

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time), Tuesday. Victoria and vicinity: Light or moderate winds, partly cloudy, with occasional showers; not much change in temperature. Lower Mainland: Light variable winds, unsettled with showers; not much change in temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

	Deg.	Mean.	Deg.
5 a.m.	48	Mean	53
Noon	50	Highest	54
5 p.m.	50	Lowest	47

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m. Corrected, 29.91

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